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CAPACITOR USING THE SAME

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Sir:

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Sir:

The undersigned, on behalf of the petitioner, SHOWA DENKO K.K., represents that the petitioner, SHOWA DENKO K.K. is the owner of the entire right, title and interest of U.S. Application No. 09/842,627, filed on April 27, 2001 for NIOBIUM POWDER FOR CAPACITOR, SINTERED BODY USING THE POWDER AND CAPACITOR SUING THE SAME by virtue of an Assignment from all of the inventors thereof executed on April 23, 2001, recorded on April 27, 2001 at Reel 011765, Frame 0865, now issued as U.S. Patent 6,643,120 as well as the entire right, title and interest in the above-captioned U.S. Application No. 10/600,358 by virtue of an Assignment from all of the inventors thereof executed on April 23, 2001, recorded on April 27, 2001, at Reel 011765, Frame 0865.

Petitioner hereby certifies that the above-mentioned Assignments have been reviewed and to the best of petitioner's knowledge and belief, title is in petitioner who is seeking to take this action.

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as presently shortened by any terminal disclaimer of U.S. Patent 6,643,120, and hereby agrees that any patent so granted on the above-captioned U.S. Application No. 10/600,358 shall be enforceable only for and during such period that the legal title to U.S. Patent 6,643,120 shall be the same as the legal title to said patent issuing from the above-captioned U.S. Application No. 10/600,358, this agreement to run with any patent granted on the above-captioned U.S. Application No. 10/600,358 and to be binding upon the grantee, its successors or assigns.

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